Provident fund for seamen

1740. SHRI PRASANTA CHATTERJEE: Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to refer to reply to Starred Question 224 given in the Rajya Sabha on 8th December, 2005 and state:

(a) whether Government have finalized the modalities to recoup the lost provident fund for seamen;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time-frame of recoupment thereto?

THE MINISTER OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI T.R. BAALU): (a) to (c) The Government has decided to recoup the full amount of loss of Rs. 92.78 crore of Seamen's Provident Fund.

RCC bridges on Torsa river

1741. SHRI TARINI KANTA ROY: Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to refer to the reply to Unstarred Question 1837 given in the Rajya Sabha on 17th March, 2005 and state;

(a) whether second revised cost estimate of the project has since been approved; and

(b) if so, total estimated cost of the project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The revised estimate has been sanctioned for Rs. 60.53 crore on 25th January, 2006.

Trauma Centres on NH-5

1742. SHRI V. HANUMANTHA RAO: Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Trauma Centres set up by NHAI along NH-5 in Andhra Pradesh and Orissa;

(b) the exact location of such Truama Centres;